

STONE & THOMAS.

Weather Forecast for To-day—Fair.

STONE & THOMAS.

SATURDAY SPECIALS.

Corset Selling

On the second floor Saturday is going to be lively. Standard goods away under price.

500 Ladies' Summer Corsets, the kind the usual store advertises as a "leader" at 25c. Saturday's price..... 18c

500 Ladies' Summer Corsets, short, long or medium waists. Equal in quality to some stores' \$1.00 grade. Saturday special..... 49c

500 Ladies' celebrated tailor-made "Globe" and Health Corsets in colors pink, blue, drab, white and black; heavy boned—long, medium and short waist. Saturday special..... 49c

Kabo Corsets

Have a world-wide reputation and sell for \$1.00 everywhere. All styles here. Our price..... 78c

Kabo Form Reducing Corsets—sell everywhere for \$2.50. Our price..... \$1.89

Ribbons.

100 pieces fancy check, plaid and stripes Ribbons in new corded lace and hem-stitched effects, per yd. 18c

Summer Underwear.

Ladies' Richelleu ribbed Hosiery, low neck and short sleeves. Saturday special..... 15c

Ladies' silk taped, lace trimmed, silk embroidered yoke or plain Hosiery—all colors. Saturday special..... 25c

Stockings.

Always special prices for Saturday—exceptional specials for this Saturday.

Misses' summer weight Stockings, fine ribbed, spliced heel and toe, extra length. Saturday special..... 10c

Misses' Stockings, two thread, special knee, full fashioned foot, wide or narrow rib. Saturday special..... 15c

Ladies' double sole, heel and toe, plain black or white feet. Saturday special..... 12c

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GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

Skeleton Homespun Skirts.

No linings in them, are therefore about one-half the weight of regular skirts! Are dressy, cool, comfortable and, unlike ordinary summer skirts, require no washing.

Come in various shades of grey, made with double inverted plaits at back and twelve-inch kiits at bottom of front gore.

Truly a superb skirt at this low price..... \$3.95.

Plainer Skirts made of same material with thin linings at..... \$3.75

PURE LINEN SKIRTS 98c to \$3.90. WHITE PIQUE SKIRTS \$1.98 to \$8.90.

White Waists 89c

with clusters of tucks and embroidery down front at

IMPOSSIBLE in this space to tell you about the thousand and one styles we are showing in white and colored waists, but we are prepared to prove that no better line is shown anywhere—lots of exclusive styles among them.

June Sale of Undermus- June Sale of Children's and lin. Infants' Wear.

SUITS,

Just right for travel, are sold here at prices that in many instances don't cover the cost of materials. For instance:

Stylish Silk Lined Covert Suits at..... \$4.95

Our Very Finest Silk Lined Suits at..... \$25.00

Come in—look us over—goods shown with pleasure, whether you purchase or not.

Geo. M. Snook & Co.

1110-12-14 MAIN THROUGH TO 1115 MARKET

NAY BROTHERS SHOES.



SLIPPERS and OXFORDS.

are greatly in evidence these warm days. What can be more dressy or comfortable than a pair of perfect fitting slippers or oxford shoes? The kind we sell, high quality at reasonable prices will be found here. \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 up.

NAY BROS., 1317 Market St.

The Intelligencer

Office 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

Notice of Special Election—Second page.

Notice of the Drawing for Redemption of Bonds.

Personal—Hypnotism—Third page.

Assault—Big Profits—Third page.

Notice—Baltimore Lodge No. 4, K. of P. List of Officers.

Saturday Specials—Stone & Thomas—Eighth page.

Skeleton Homespun Skirts—George M. Snook & Co.—Eighth page.

Wash Time—McAdams—Second page.

A Suit Case—Lee Baer—Eighth page.

Come to Our Clothing Sale To-day—House & Hermann—Fifth page.

Notice—Redemption of Bonds of 1891.

Wanted—By an Established House—Third page.

Wanted—Man of Good Character—Third page.

30,000.

We have fitted more than twenty thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us a record and experience unequalled by any other optician in West Virginia. Satisfaction guaranteed.

JACOB W. GRUBB, Optician.

No. 1406 Market Street.

NEW! NEW! NEW!

Our second invoice of Foreign and Domestic Woollens for Spring Suitings. Excellence in fit, finish and workmanship.

C. HESS & SONS.

Fashionable Tailors and Fine Furnishers, 1321-1323 Market St.

Water Rents Are Due.

Water rents for the six months ending September 30, 1900, are now ready. If paid on or before June 30, 1900, a discount of 10 percent will be allowed. THE CITY WATER BOARD.

In Clerk Robertson's Office.

Yesterday, in Clerk Robertson's office the following was recorded:

Deed made June 13, 1900, by Henry Roth and wife to E. M. Atkinson; consideration, \$2,500; transfers two pieces of land in Elm Grove.

Marriage licenses were issued to: Joseph Wycherly, aged forty-two, widower, and Harriet Earp, aged forty, of Wheeling.

C. R. Patterson, aged twenty, of West Liberty, and Alice Taylor, aged twenty-two, of Wheeling.

Company "A's" Outing.

The members of Company A, First Infantry, West Virginia National Guard, will have their first outing tomorrow on the farm of ex-Sheriff Lewis Steenrod, two miles east of the city. The boys are very much enthused over the prospect of a day in camp. The company will go out in heavy marching order, taking lunch along, and will leave the armory at 8 o'clock Sunday morning as possible. It is not compulsory for the members to go on this outing, but from all reports it is likely a full attendance will be had.

A Church Dedication.

The extensive improvements having been completed, there will be rededication services at St. Matthew's German Lutheran church, at Benwood, tomorrow. Special music and a special programme of exercises will be carried out at the morning and evening services. The church has been greatly beautified and the congregation has reasons for feeling proud of their practically new house of worship. The pastor, Rev. Paul Metzger, has worked hard for the accomplishment of the improvements.

One Held for the Grand Jury.

On June 3, two Cameron men, Addison Collins and Albert Crow, engaged in riotous conduct on a Baltimore & Ohio train, between Wheeling and Benwood. They were drunk and engaged in a fight on a coach with a man, who could not be apprehended later. The arrests were made a few days ago by Detective John M. Short, and yesterday Squire Dunning dismissed the case against Collins and held Crow for the grand jury. In this kind of a case a justice has not determining power. He must either discharge or hold for the criminal court.

A Deplorable Case.

Human Agent Echols is interesting himself in securing better environments for three young children of Mrs. Newton Butler, an Elm Grove woman, who skipped across the Pennsylvania line a few days ago, with her daughter, Mrs. Vermilion and another resident of Elm Grove, known as "Slavish Ann." This trio of women lived in one of the houses in the "red row" near the Elm Grove coal works, and according to the stories told they entertained the male sex without discrimination of color or race, and when the authorities sought to break up the place the women disappeared. The husband of the Butler woman lives at West Alexander, and he has promised Mr. Echols to aid him in putting the children in a suitable home.

HOT Mill Club Picnic at Mosart Park this afternoon and evening.

FREE Lunch and Turtle Soup at Harbruck's Saloon, East End, to-night.

BASE BALL, Wheeling vs. Dayton, Island Park, Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

TWO first and four second prizes were won on Rambler bicycles at the High school field day races, 1899 models, \$25. Sold only by Jason C. Stamp, 1128 Market street.

THE HEALTH COMMITTEE'S TROUBLES.

The United States Company's Utilization Plant is to be Shut Down, add the

DESIRE OF THE NORTH ENDERS

Is Gratified—The Matter of Gas for the Crematory is Still an Unsolved Problem.

The council committee on health last night had a second skirmish with the problems afforded by the United States Fertilizer Company's utilization plant, on Wheeling park, and which arose with striking force at the committee's meeting one week ago, one as the outcome of the protest of North Wheeling citizens against the continued operation of the plant, owing to the offensive odors it produced, and the other the claim of the Natural Gas Company of West Virginia for a new agreement with the city for crematory gas, owing to the abandonment of the fertilizing plant. Definite action did not result in either instance. The fertilizer people's statement that the plant would be idle in the future was taken for a satisfactory conclusion, and the city solicitor was instructed to prepare an opinion of the present relations existing between the city and the natural gas company, regarding crematory gas.

The committee members present were Chairman W. G. Caldwell, Messrs. Meyer, Williams and Watson, and Dr. S. L. Jepson, the city health officer, and City Solicitor S. O. Boyce. For the natural gas company, President George Heard and Mr. A. S. Hare appeared. None of the fertilizer company was present.

City Solicitor Boyce read a letter he sent to President George Hook and the reply from the United States Fertilizer Company, through its attorney, Henry M. Russell. The reply stated that the utilization plant had ceased operations and would continue to remain idle. The company, it was said, regretted that it had been unable to complete the plant and fulfill its agreement with the city.

Mr. Russell stated in his letter that he could be reached by telephone, if further information was required, and acting on this suggestion Chairman Caldwell called him up to ascertain whether the company would remove its plant.

Mr. Russell replied that the plant would be removed if the city ordered it. Mr. Meyer then asked if a notice to vacate would not release the company from its bond.

City Solicitor Boyce was averse to giving the notice, for fear of the eventual liability of the city. Dr. Jepson thought the company had violated its time limit for the construction of its plant.

Chairman Caldwell agreed with the city solicitor that it would be better to leave the plant in statu quo. The North Wheeling citizens objected to the stench from the plant, which, if allowed to remain idle, would remove the objection.

Mr. Boyce added that he thought the city would be safe in giving the company a notice to vacate, but this proceeding might result in a lot of contention. On his suggestion the correspondence between the city solicitor and Mr. Russell was spread on the committee's minutes, and a motion was adopted that the plant be allowed to remain in statu quo, so long as it is not operated, or until the health officer or city solicitor advises otherwise.

This ended the matter, and the next thing on the programme was the controversy with the Natural Gas Company of West Virginia.

President George Heard then addressed the committee, and he claimed that his company was to be governed by a feature of the agreement entered into with the city, which stipulated that when the fertilizing plant should throw up the sponge, the city crematory was to be entitled to 12,000,000 cubic feet of gas yearly, and pay 6 cents per foot for all gas in excess of this figure. Mr. Heard said that the company wanted some limitation on the gas. He insisted that the new contract should date from the time the fertilizing plant quit business. In addition, he asserted that this plant and the city crematory burned more gas than 30,000,000 feet daily, but he was not disposed to press this point, if he could get a clear and definite agreement for the future.

Asked as to the gas consumed in a day, Mr. Heard said he didn't know exactly. Some days 200,000 feet were burned, but the average was not thus high. This figure was considered pretty steep by some of the committee.

On Dr. Jepson's suggestion, Mr. Meyer moved, seconded by Mr. Williams, that the matter be referred to the city solicitor for his opinion with relation to the status between the city and the gas company, the opinion to be presented at the committee's next meeting, so the committee could have something on which to base its action.

Some general discussion occurred over the new crematory furnace, and Contractor Hamilton was authorized to tear down a division wall between the checker work and a draft flue, which, it was thought, would be an improvement. Superintendent Serig was instructed to have hauled into the crematory and consumed a pile of garbage, which has been on the hill for some time. This pile accumulated while the furnace was being repaired.

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THE Running Races, Potato Race, Sack Race and the Champion Contentionists and Trapeze Performers, Hiscok and Straub, at Trades Assembly Picnic, Saturday. All are worth seeing.

WHEELING PARK to-morrow afternoon and evening. Concert and Songs by Miss Gilman, of New York.

BRIEF MENTIONINGS.

Events in and About the City Given in a Nutshell.

A number of the employees of the Pan Handle freight office gave an enjoyable trolley party last evening.

Rev. John McCreu will hold open air services at the corner of Eleventh and Market streets, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

August Trabert yesterday preferred a charge of trespass against William Johnson, which will be heard by Squire Fitzpatrick this evening.

The Hot Mill Club, composed of employees of the La Belle tin mill, will give a picnic at Mosart park this afternoon and evening, which promises to attract a large attendance.

On the complaint of Henry Doyle, Squire Dunning this evening will hear the case of John W. Norman, who is charged with using threatening language to the former.

The regular young men's meetings will be held at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening at 8 o'clock, and to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. These meetings are always open to all young men.

Yesterday morning occurred the death of William H. Young, a retired citizen, aged seventy-four years, at the family residence, No. 1208 McCulloch street. The funeral taken place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment at Peninsula cemetery.

A double medal contest was given at the Benwood M. E. church last night, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Miss Edna Bowens won the medal in elocution, and Miss Emma Price was the winner in the musical contest. The affair was exceedingly interesting.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Going and Coming of Wheeling People and Visitors.

This afternoon, at 4:45 o'clock the northern West Virginia delegation to the Republican national nominating convention at Philadelphia, will depart over the Baltimore & Ohio, occupying a special sleeper, secured by Colonel Morris Horkheimer. In the party will be Delegate Horkheimer, Delegate Curtis, Alternates Whitcomb and Garay, Congressman Dwyer, Mr. John Frew, Mr. James K. Hall, Mr. John E. Schellhase, Mr. Emanuel Buckman, Sheriff Richards, George Clark, Henry representatives of the Intelligencer and News, and many others.

Miss Jennie Conkle, of the South Side, left last evening for Atlantic City.

Mrs. Daniel Ebert and family are visiting her brother, Mr. John O'Hare, of Mannington.

Congressman Dwyer has accepted an invitation to attend the Atlanta battlefields reunion on the occasion of the thirty-sixth anniversary of the great victories won by "Old Tecumseh," on July 22.

Sheriff S. C. Denham and County Clerk W. L. Highland, of Clarksburg, were in the city last night. Sheriff Denham brought a prisoner to the Morgue, a convict named J. T. Davis, convicted on a forgery charge, to serve two and one-half years.

Edward G. Friedel, of the Hicks & Hoge Dry Goods Company, left Thursday morning over the Pennsylvania railroad, to attend the national Republican convention, and to visit his sister, Mrs. Phil H. Spaeter, Jr., and other relatives, in Philadelphia.

Rev. P. J. Hah and family went to New York last week, and on Tuesday they sail for Germany, where the work of their pastor of Zion's German Lutheran church will enjoy a well earned three months' visit among the scenes of his childhood. During his absence the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. Ph. Kirschner, of Philadelphia, whose first sermon will be heard on Sunday, June 24.

WHEELING PARK CONCERTS

To-morrow Afternoon and Evening by the Opera House Band.

Unusually attractive programmes are announced for the Sunday afternoon and evening concerts by the Opera House band at Wheeling Park, as follows:

Afternoon.

1. March—"The Man Behind the Gun"..... Sousa
2. Overture—"Jolly Fellows"..... Suppe
3. Waltz—"The Little Daisy"..... Albeniz
4. Medley—"Collection of Popular Airs"..... Marion

PART II.

5. Melodius from "Les Misérables"..... Donizetti
6. Descriptive Irish and Coon Songs..... Herbert
7. Serenade—"In the Moonlight"..... Hall
8. Characteristic Patrol—"Guard Mounting"..... Myerbeer
9. Descriptive Piece—"A Hunting Scene"..... Buczak

PART III.

10. Overture—"Martha"..... Plotow
11. Descriptive Irish and Coon Songs..... Herbert
12. Waltz—"The Little Daisy"..... Albeniz
13. Piccolo Solo—"Sweet Birdie"..... Cox
14. "Torchlight Dance"..... Myerbeer

Evening.

1. March—"Col. Philbrook"..... Hall
2. Overture—"Amazon"..... Kiebler
3. Waltz—"Jolly Fellows"..... Suppe
4. Vocal Solo—Selected..... Miss Mabel Gilman
5. Selection—"Popular House Cafe"..... Boettger

PART II.

6. Selection—"The Wizard of the East"..... Herbert
7. Cornet Solo—"The Two Roses"..... Boos
8. Musical Characteristic—"The Ash-Cake Shuffler"..... Rippler
9. Song for Harmonium..... Hall
10. Galop—"The Chase of the Lion"..... Tobani

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Republican National Convention Excursions via Pennsylvania Lines.

June 13, at Philadelphia, Pa., will assemble delegates from all sections of the United States to nominate a candidate for President. Excursion tickets will be sold June 14 to 18, inclusive, via Pennsylvania Lines, Philadelphia; valid returning Tuesday, June 25. Ask John G. Tomlinson, Ticket Agent, Wheeling, about them.

DEER PARK HOTEL,

Deer Park, Md.

Most Delightful Summer Resort of the Alleghenies.

Sweet by mountain breezes, 2,500 feet above sea level. Absolutely free from malaria, hay fever and mosquitoes. On main line of Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Hotel and cottages. Every modern convenience. Rooming with bath. Electric lights, elevator. Turkish baths, two large swimming pools, golf links, tennis courts, bowling alleys, magnificent drives, complete livery service. Annapolis Navy Academy band. Delightful cottages (furnished for housekeeping if desired) ready for occupancy June 1st. Hotel open from June 23 to September 15th.

For rates and information address W. E. Burwell, Manager, B. & O. building, Baltimore, Md., until June 10th. After that time, Deer Park, Garrett county, Md.

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39,500

The thirty-two census enumerators engaged on the Twelfth United States Census in the city of Wheeling, completed their work Friday night, and the returns of all but eight are in the hands of Special Agent Charles A. Helmbricht, who has charge of the work.

An Intelligencer reporter endeavored to secure from Mr. Helmbricht the exact figures of Wheeling's population according to the 1900 census, but was informed that a fine of \$500 would be the punishment for giving out the information. So the special agent was not further pressed.

However, the Intelligencer has the material at hand on which to base a prediction—that Wheeling's population, according to the census just finished, will be between 39,000 and 40,000, nearer the former figure than the latter, named taking into consideration the migration to out-of-the-pike points during the past decade of fully 2,000 people, this is indeed an excellent showing. The comparative showing for the city, according to the censuses of 1880, 1890 and 1900, with percentage of increase, has been as follows:

	Pop.	Inc.	Per.
1880.....	21,270	2,570	12.1
1890.....	25,270	4,000	15.5
1900.....	39,500	14,230	56.3

VIOLA MEETING

In Interest of Uniontown, Waynesburg & West Virginia Railroad.

A meeting in the interest of the proposed Uniontown, Waynesburg & West Virginia railroad was held at Viola, Marshall county, Wednesday evening, and addressed by Messrs. W. C. Jutte and Protzman, of Pittsburgh, the promoters. Dr. J. L. Sammons, of Calis, was chairman, and A. N. Doherty was secretary. Addresses were also made by Squire Taylor, S. T. Thatcher, Dr. Sammons, Joseph Wilson, John Dague and James A. Dague.

Mr. Protzman emphatically denied many of the rumors set afloat to injure the company, and also said that E. A. Holmes, who is working for the Pittsburgh & Connellsville, another projected road through the same territory, did not have a charter through Pennsylvania. Mr. Protzman claimed that the Holmes survey was made in the interest of the Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio in order to block the Uniontown, Waynesburg & West Virginia. Jutte said he had already spent \$100,000 in his project. He and Mr. Protzman made a favorable impression, and Viola people are enthusiastic for the proposed road.

Advance Not Granted.

DETROIT, Mich., June 15.—A conference between the committee of nine from the Moulders' Union of America and the administrative council of the Foundrymen's National Association, which has been in session this week, ended this noon with the decision that a proposed advance in pay for moulders three days at Chicago of \$2.00 of 25 cents a day could not be granted. This decision affects all cities in the United States.

Refused to Make Peace.

CHICAGO, June 15.—The building contractors' council to-day refused to make peace with the labor unions on a basis of the abolition of the sympathetic strike. This concession was joined with provisions to which the contractors said they could not agree. They suggested that a further conference be held to reach some settlement of the building trades war.

Fisherman of Buzzard's Bay.

PRINCETON, N. J., June 15.—Former President and Mrs. Grover Cleveland left here to-day on the Princeton "special" for New York, en route to Greenwich, Conn., where they will spend three days at Mr. Benedict's summer home. After that they will go to Gray Gables for the summer.

Ten Lives Lost by Fire.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Ten persons lost their lives in a fire in the tenement house at No. 34 Jackson street early today. Six persons were injured, and taken to a hospital, suffering from burns and the effect of the smoke. The fire did damage to property amounting to about \$10,000.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

Excursions to Atlantic City—Cape May, Sea Isle City and Ocean City, N. J., Ocean City, Md., and Rehoboth Beach, Del., at Very Low Rates, Thursdays, June 28, July 12 and 26, August 9 and 23.

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad have arranged a series of Popular Seashore Excursions, to be run on Thursdays, June 28, July 12 and 26, August 9 and 23, to Atlantic City, Cape May, Sea Isle City and Ocean City, N. J., Ocean City, Md., and Rehoboth Beach, Del. Tickets will be good sixteen (16) days, including date of sale.

Stop-overs will be allowed on the return trip at Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington on tickets sold to Ocean City, Md., and Rehoboth Beach, Del. For tickets, time of trains, sleeping and parlor car accommodations, call on or address T. C. Barker, passenger and ticket agent, Wheeling.

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A Suit Chance

that will suit the most exacting. Too Many and Must Go are the four words that tell the story.

\$7.85

for \$10 and \$12 Suits.

We have an excess of Spring Suits and recognize the truth that heroic efforts must be made to reduce this stock, and have adopted the well-known BAER method to reduce it—"CUT PRICE." We make this price on a hundred All-Wool Suits